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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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In re:

Fraleg Group, Inc., Case No. 22-41410-jmm

Debtor. Chapter 11

## **DECLARATION OF DAVID FERGUSON**

- I, David Ferguson, Esq., hereby declare as follows:
- 1. My name is David Ferguson. I am over twenty-one (21) years of age, am admitted to practice in this Court, and in all respects qualified to make this Declaration. I am a shareholder with the law firm of Polsinelli PC, counsel for secured creditor CAF Borrower GS LLC ("Lender"). In that capacity, I am familiar with the facts and events described herein. I make this Declaration based on my personal knowledge and my review of the file kept by Polsinelli PC.
- 2. On June 7, 2022, Fraleg's prior counsel, Francis Hemmings, contacted me and represented that Fraleg was looking to close a refinance on the Loan by June 15, 2022. Mr. Hemmings requested a "final payoff" for the Loan. Lender provided an updated payoff that same day, good through June 15, 2022 (the "June 7 Payoff"). A true and correct copy of the June 7 Payoff is attached hereto as Exhibit 1.
- 3. The June 7 Payoff includes interest on the Note at the contract rate through June 15, 2022.
  - 4. The June 7 Payoff also includes attorneys' fees and other costs and charges.
- 5. After filing its second bankruptcy case, the instant matter, Fraleg claimed for the first time that Lender's Proof of Claim in Fraleg I and the June 7 Payoff were both overstated.

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I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

EXECUTED this  $6^{th}$  day of October, 2022

/s/ David D. Ferguson
David Ferguson